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Mr. Matthew Guariglia
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Reference: F-2019-01919

Dear Mr. Guariglia:

On 11 October 2019, the office of the Information and Privacy Coordinator received your 11 October 2019 letter asking for an estimated completion date concerning your 27 May 2019 Freedom of Information Act request for **any files related to the SamSam Rasomeware cyberattack against the city of Atlanta in March 2018 as well as the two indicted hackers Framarz Shahi Savandi and Mohammad Mehdi Shah Mansouri.**

Please be assured that your request is still in process. We can appreciate your concern with not having received a final response to your request. It is the overwhelming number of requests and their complexity that causes delays in our responses. We are making every effort to complete it as soon as possible. Per your request, we have checked on the status and have been provided an estimated completion date of 12 May 2021. Please note, this is only an estimated date and is subject to change. If you have not heard from us by the identified date, please do not hesitate to reach out. Meanwhile, we appreciate your patience and understanding while we continue to process your request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Lilly".

Mark Lilly
Information and Privacy Coordinator

